

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3453
ANSWERED ON:17.08.2005
ALLEGED IRREGULARITIES IN IIPA
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Will the Minister of PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether several complaints have been received by the Government regarding alleged irregularities in the Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA) at its Headquarters;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the response of the Government thereto;
- (c) the grant provided to IIPA during the last three years, Branch-wise; and
- (d) the details of major research works/seminars/programmes conducted by IIPA during the last three years?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS. (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI)

- (a): Two complaints have been received by the Government regarding improper functioning of the IIPA.
- (b) The complaints relate to irregular payment of retirement benefits to an Ex-Registrar and alleged non compliance of rules/bye laws by the IIPA. The latter has been examined by the IIPA and found to be devoid of merits.

The Department of Personnel & Training provided the following grant to the IIPA, New Delhi during the last three years. No grant was provided by Department of Personnel & Training to any of the branches of IIPA.

Year	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
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Amount of grant in Lakhs	283.50	252.00	220.50
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The details of the major works/seminars/ programmes conducted by the IIPA during the last 3 years are given in the statement laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REREFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3453 DATED 17.08.2005

DETAILS OF MAJOR RESEARCH WORK/SEMINARS/PROGRAMME CONDUCTED BY IIPA DURING THE LAST THREE YEARS

IIPA has undertaken 45 major Research Projects/Consultancy Assignments and conducted 42 Seminars/Conferences/Workshops/Lectures during the last three years as per details given below:

RESEARCH PROJECTS/CONSULTANCY ASSIGNMENTS

2004- 05

1. Evaluation of AUWSP in 7 towns of Andhra Pradesh by Prof. P.S.N. Rao.
2. Financing of Urban Local Governments in Uttar Pradesh-A Case Study of Agra by Dr. V.N. Alok.
3. Viability of State Road Transport Undertakings (SRTUs) and other State Public Sector

Undertakings (PSUs) by Prof. P.K. Chaubey and Prof. Pranab Banerji.

4. A Study of Functioning of SFC's in 5 States of India by Prof. P.S.N. Rao
5. Impact Assessment and Terminal Evaluation of UNDP/GEF Hilly Hydro Project by Dr. Anil C. Ittyerah.
6. Impact Assessment Studies of the Programme of the Ministry of Rural Development in Mon District of Nagaland by Dr. S.K. Bhattacharya and Pranab Banerji.
7. Impact of the Constitution (74th Amendment) Act on the Working of Urban Local Bodies by Prof. P.S.N. Rao.
8. Survey of Protected Areas in India by Shri Shekhar Singh.
9. Software Development and Facilities Management in D'Node Navi Mumbai by Prof. J.C. Kapur.
10. ICT-enablement of CWC Operations and Processes by Prof. J.C. Kapur.
11. Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan-IV by Prof. J.C. Kapur.
12. Chronic Poverty Research Centre, India. Phase II, Year 2 by Prof. Aasha Kapur Mehta (Team Leader for CPRC India).

2003- 04

1. Child Labour in Unorganized Sector of Delhi: Problems & Prospects by Prof. S.N. Mishra.
2. National Social Audit of the Save Grain Campaign - Post Harvest Initiatives - A Pilot Study of Northern Region by Dr. Anil C. Ittyerah.
3. Sustainable Natural Resource Management: A Case Study of TVAMS Kesla, M.P. by Dr. Anil C. Ittyerah.
4. Impact Assessment of Rural Development Programmes: A Study of Mandi District (H.P.) by Dr. Dolly Arora.
5. Evaluation Study of the Training Support provided by DoPT to State Training Institutions by Prof. S.S. Singh, Prof. M.H. Malick, Prof. J. Guha Roy.
6. Concurrent Evaluation of SGRY for 2002-03 for the State of Rajasthan by Dr. Anil C. Ittyerah.
7. Urban Local bodies in India - A Quest for Making them Self-reliant by Prof. P.K. Chaubey.
8. The budget: A Gender & Poverty Sensitive Perspective by Prof. Aasha Kapur Mehta.
9. Restructuring Punjab Government Secretariat by Prof. Rajesh Singh, Prof. M.H. Malick, Prof. J. Guha Roy
10. Consultancy Assignment on Women's Economic Empowerment in the Market Place: India Gum Karaya Project by Prof. Aasha Kapur Mehta.
11. Training Needs Assessment and Four Training Programmes for officers of North East States in 2003-04 by Prof. Bharati Sharma
12. Detailed Courseware for the proposed MPP course and Distance Learning Mode by Dr. P.L. Sanjeev Reddy and Prof. R.K. Tiwari.
13. Facilities Management for Dronagiri Exports Node of the Central Warehousing Corporation at Jawaharlal Nehru Port, Navi Mumbai for the year 2003-04 by Prof. J.C. Kapur.
14. 'Facilities Management' project of the Central Warehousing Corporation for the year 2003-04 for management of computerized system at Inland Container Depot (ICD), Patparganj, Delhi by Prof. J.C. Kapur.
15. Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan-III by Prof. J.C. Kapur.

2002- 03

1. Impact Assessment Studies of all the Programmes of the Ministry of Rural Development in Mon District of Nagaland by Dr. S.K. Bhattacharya.
2. Overall Strategy for the Development of Scheduled Castes by Dr. R.K. Barik.
3. Human Development Index: Exercises in Methodology and Reconstruction by Prof. P.K. Chaubey.
4. Proper Maintenance and Up-Keep of Public Gardens/Parks in Delhi for improving quality of life by Shri M.C. Gupta and Prof. G.K. Misra.

5. Rural Development Programme in Kangra District (An Impact Assessment Study) by Prof. Anil C. Ittyerah.
6. Management of Slums in Delhi by Dr. M.K. Narain.
- 7 Aspects of Administrative Theory by Prof. A.K. Sharma.
8. Documentation on Gujarat Earthquake 2001 (Phase-II) by Shri Anil Sinha and Prof. V.K. Sharma.
9. A Case Study on the Role of Panchayati Raj Institutions in Disaster Management and Preparedness.
10. Restructuring of Manpower Position - NSCFDC by Dr. R.K. Barik and Ms. P. Bolina.
11. Development and implementation of Computer software for inter and intra-regional transfers of teachers of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan for the session 2002-03 on the basis of revised transfer guidelines by Prof. J.C. Kapur.
12. Extended 'Facilities Management' project for the year 2002-03 for management of computerized system at Inland Container Depot, Patparganj of the Central Warehousing Corporation by Prof. J.C. Kapur.
13. Development and implementation of Application Software for Facilities Management for Dronagiri Exports Node of the Central Warehousing Corporation at Jawaharlal Nehru Port, Navi Mumbai by Prof. J.C. Kapur.
14. Detailed Project Report (DPR), for Business Process Reengineering and IT-enablement of Employees State Insurance Corporation for management of its countrywide operations, networking, office automation, hospitals and dispensaries by Prof. J.C. Kapur.
15. Development and implementation of computerized Payroll System for MCD, Delhi by Prof. J.C. Kapur.
16. A Study of Trained Nurses Association of India (TNAI) by Prof. M.H. Malick.
17. Programme for the Enhancement of Emergency Response by Shri Anil Sinha and Prof. V.K. Sharma.
18. Chronic Poverty Research Centre, India, Phase-II, year 1 by Prof. Aasha Kapur Mehta.

SEMINARS/CONFERENCES/PRESENTATIONS/LECTURES

2004- 05

1. Seminar on Role and Relevance of Rajya Sabha in Indian Polity
2. Kunal Garg Memorial Endowment Lecture on 'Leadership in the Changing World'.
3. Lecture by Mr. Michael F. Carter, Country Manager of World Bank on financial management; rural development with particular emphasis on rural drinking water supply, rural electrification, administrative law; poverty alleviation programme, etc
4. Workshop on Common Minimum Programme
5. Workshop on Human Development and Access to Information
6. Workshop on Corporate Governance & Corporate Social Responsibility in Public Enterprises
- 7 IIPA 48th Members' Annual Conference
8. Lecture by Shri S. Regunathan, Chief Secretary, Government of NCT of Delhi on 'Promoting Citizen-friendly Governance- Challenges and Opportunities'.
9. Seminar on Role of Colleges in Consumer Protection and Welfare
10. Seminar on Conservation of Biodiversity in Andaman and Nicobar Islands (A&NI)
11. National Convention on Public Governance Dividends - the Road Ahead
12. Workshop on State-Civil Society Interface for Improved Policy Performance
13. Seminar on Rural Development: Rajiv Gandhi's Vision

2003 -04

1. Seminar on 'Women's Property Rights: A Gender Perspective' on June 3, 2003.
2. Workshop on 'Institutional Publications' from 9-11 June 2003.
3. Conference on 'Role of Elected Representatives in Municipal Corporation Governance' from July 22-24, 2003.

4. Workshop on `Capacity Building towards Disaster Management` from August 4-6, 2003.
5. Panel Discussion on `Will Synchronised Polls Improve the Quality of Governance in India ?` on August 28, 2003.
6. IIPA 47th Members` Annual Conference on October 17, 2003.
- 7 Seminar on `Chronic Poverty and Development Policy` on 4-5 November, 2003.
8. IIPA Golden Jubilee National Conference on `Public Administration in the 21st Century` on December 12-13, 2003.
9. Seminar on `Role and Relevance of Rajya Sabha in Indian Polity` organized by Rajya Sabha Secretariat in collaboration with IIPA on December 14, 2003.
10. National Seminar on `Municipal Finance` on December 22-23, 2003.
11. Two days Brain Storming Session to Formulate Training Plan for Scientists and Technologists on December 22-23, 2003 at Corbett Ramganga Resort, Uttaranchal.
12. Seminar on `Making India a Knowledge Superpower: Role of Change Agents of Higher Technical Education` on February 13-14, 2004.
13. Workshop on `Disability Management in India: Challenges and Perspectives` jointly with National Institute of the Mentally Handicapped, on March 4-5, 2004.
14. National Seminar on `Sexual Harassment at Work Place` on March 10, 2004 at National Museum, 11 Janpath, New Delhi, in collaboration with National Commission for Women.
15. IIPA Golden Jubilee National Seminar on `Contemporary Issues in Public Administration: Sociological Dimensions` on March 10, 2004.

2002-03

1. Presentation on Citizen-friendly Civic Governance: An Electronic Model on May 23, 2002.
2. Conference on Towards a Social Harmony: The Gandhian Way jointly with Gandhi Smriti and Darshan Samiti on May 4, 2002.
3. All India Conference of Training Instructions in Disaster Management on April 29-30, 2002.
4. National Seminar on Flood Management jointly with Poorvanchal Gramin Vikas Sansthan on June 28, 2002.
5. Brainstorming Session on Management of Drought on September 13, 2002.
6. Workshop on inter-organisational Coordination in Prevention of Natural Disasters on September 9-11, 2002.
- 7 Workshop on Issues in Good Governance on October 28, 2002.
8. Programme on Nehru Jayanti pm November 14, 2002.
9. Validation Seminar on Panchayati Raj & Local Governance on November 18, 2002.
10. Seminar on Strategies for Operationalisation of Fundamental Rights and Duties of the Citizen jointly with Citizenship Development Society on December 27, 2002.
11. Validation seminar on `Maintenance and Up-keep of Public Gardens in urban Delhi` on December 20, 2002.
- 12 & 13 Two Conferences on Role of Elected Representatives in Municipal Governance from January 21-23, 2003 and February 19-21, 2003 respectively.
14. Seminar on Change of Mindset for Productive Work Culture jointly with ICSSR on February 20-21, 2003.

Besides research projects, seminars/conferences/workshops/lectures the following other programmes were also conducted:

2004-05

1. Founder`s Day and APPPA Convocation
2. Inauguration of Thirtieth APPPA

3. World Consumer Rights Day Celebrated
4. 8 Programmes for Scientist and Technologists, sponsored by Department of Science and Technology.
5. 35 Short Term Training Programmes which break-up is as follows:

Sl.No.	Programme	No. of Programmes	No. of Participants
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| 1. | Management Development Programmes | | |
| (a) | Sponsored by the Department of Personnel & Training | 5 | 77 |
| (b) | Programmes Sponsored by other Organisations | 20 | 615 |
| (c) | Fee-based Programmes offered by IIPA | 6 | 130 |

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| 2. | Programmes of Centre for Urban Studies | 4 | 75 |
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Total	35	897
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2003-04

- 1 Founders` Day and APPPA Convocation
- 2 Inauguration of Twenty-ninth APPPA
- 3 Programmes for Scientists and Technologists
- 4 68 Short Term Training Programmes which break-up is as follows:

Sl.No.	Programme	No. of Programmes	No. of Participants
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| 1. | Management Development Programmes | | |
| (a) | Sponsored by the Department of Personnel & Training | 11 | 243 |
| (b) | Programmes Sponsored by other Organisations | 33 | 742 |
| (c) | Fee-based Programmes offered by IIPA | 7 | 90 |

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| 2. | Programmes of Centre for Urban Studies | 8 | 142 |
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| 3. | Programmes conducted by National Centre for Disaster Management (NCDM) | 9 | 302 |
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Total	68	1519
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2002-03

1. Inauguration of Twenty-eighth APPPA
2. Third and Fourth batches of M.B.A in Public Service Management (in collaboration with the University of Birmingham).
3. 72 short term Training Programmes/ Workshops including two international programmes for French Civil Servants which break-up is as follows:

Sl.No.	Programme	No. of Programmes	No. of Participants
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1. Management Development Programmes

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| (a) | Sponsored by the Department of Personnel & Training | 11 | 246 |
| (b) | Programmes Sponsored by other Organisations | 23 | 489 |
| (c) | Fee-based Programmes offered by IIPA | 8 | 104 |

2. Programmes of Centre for Urban Studies 9 200

3. Programmes conducted by National Centre for Disaster Management (NCDM) 19 1013

4. Collaborative Programmes (Sponsored by Colombo Plan Secretariat) 2 28

Total 72 2080